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Steven J. Larson et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1731  
Application No.: 10/649,792 ) Examiner: Dionne Walls Mayes  
Filing Date: August 28, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 5603  
Title: ELECTRICALLY HEATED )  
CIGARETTE SMOKING SYSTEM )  
LIGHTER CARTRIDGE DRYER )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to: respond to the Office Action dated October 16, 2006 for

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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